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No. 1 Through Express	3 05 a. m
" 3 Fast Express	12 10 p. m
" 11 Accommodation	3 00 p. m

GOING EAST:

No 2 Lightning Express	11 05 p. m
" 4 Atlantic "	11 50 a. m
" 12 Accommodation	8 00 p m

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DEPART:

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Ar Monticello			4 10 "
" Champaign			6 20 "
" Chicago			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign	5 40 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 20 a m
T., W. & W. R R			
Lv Decatur		11 50 a m	11 10 p m
" Tolono		1 12 p m	12 22 a m
Ar Danville		2 30 p m	1 20 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 20 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 25 a m	6 40 p m	5 05 a m
" Cincinnati	9 05 p m	12 35 a m	10 15 a m
" Dayton	6 40 p m	8 30 a m	8 05 p m
" Columbus	10 25 p m	2 55 a m	6 35 p m
" Zanesville	1 45 a m	6 15 a m	1 15 a m
" Wheeling	5 50 a m	10 20 a m	5 50 a m
" Washington	9 25 p m	6 13 a m	10 40 p m
" Baltimore	10 40 p m	2 15 a m	12 00 m
" Pittsburg		11 50 a m	2 15 a m
" Harrisburg		10 40 p m	11 50 a m
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EASTWARD.

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Arrives at Terre Haute	3 50 p. m
" Indianapolis	6:20 "
No. 3 leaves Decatur	8:15 "
Arrives at Terre Haute	1:00 a. m
" Indianapolis	4:22 "
No. 7 freight leaves Decatur	6:30 "

WESTWARD

No 2 leaves Indianapolis	3:10 a m
Arrives at Decatur	11:15 a. m
No 4 leaves Indianapolis	2:00 p m
Arrives at Decatur at	10.15 p. m
No 8 freight leaves Terre Haute	7:00 a. m
Arrives at Decatur	5:50 p. m

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11.	**Suppressed**, or Painful Periods,	25
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13.	**Croup**, Cough, Difficult Breathing,	25
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" Mattoon	1:00 "
" North	5:20 "
" South Paris, Chicago, & East of Lafayette	5:30 A. M.

MAILS CLOSE

For East	10:15 A. M.
" Paris at	11:00 "
" West, St. Louis	10:45 "
" Pekin	1:00 P. M.
" Chicago and Mattoon	2:30 P. M.
" South	4:30 "
" North & East	7:30 "

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

PATRICK DINNEEN, of Vermont, Wisconsin, died recently, leaving $25,000 disposed of in a singular will. A nephew is to get $8,000 if he will marry one of the three young ladies named; but if he refuses his share will go to another nephew. Still another nephew is allotted $3,000, the proviso being that he shall marry a cousin. A niece will get $500 after marrying a German and her husband will have $500 more and a span of fine horses. A sister is mated with a bachelor clergyman, her share in the estate upon obeying the mandate to be $6,000. It is said that all have refused their bequests under the conditions imposed.

Seabrook, N. H., has three hundred and ninety-six names on its poll list, and seventy-nine different names. The town is chiefly composed of a very few families. The Eatons come first, numbering fifty-four; Dows, thirty-one; Chases and Browns, each twenty-two; Waltons, eighteen; Smiths, fifteen; Locks, fourteen; Felches, thirteen; Boyds, eleven; Southers, Knowleses and Rowes, eleven each, and Beckmans ten. These fourteen families have two hundred and seventy-two out of three hundred and ninety-six votes.

McBride of the Washington *Chronical* was rushing along D street, one day last summer pencil in hand, and caromed against Rev. G. A. Hall, who is always equally in a hurry, through his zeal in religious chores. "Hallo Mac!" exclaimed the Rev. G. A., impulsively, taking him by both hands. "What are you doing for Jesus?" "Well," says Mac. "To tell the truth, I ain't doing much. I'm on the *Chronicle* now."

One of the London comic papers tells of an Aberdeen minister, who, catechizing his young parishioners before the congregation, put the usual question to a stout girl whose father kept a public house: "What is your name?" No reply. The question having been repeated, the girl replied: "Nana o'your fun, Mr. Minister, ye ken my name well enough. D'ye no say when ye come to our house on a night, Bet, bring me some ale?"

The Boston Traveler makes this observation: "For many years the liquor sellers have been making war upon the peace, the comfort, and the rights of women; the injured party is now taking the field, seeking security against further wrong. We may soon see the great body of the people of the country arrayed on one side or the other."

There is a lady in Columbia who went for medical treatment, and who, it is stated, had not, up to Wednesday last, eaten any kind of food since last August. Several physicians are in attendance upon her, and every effort is being made to ascertain the cause of this freak of nature.—*Charleston, S. C., News, February* 17.

Ben Zine asked O'Shea: "How is it that the most reliable account of the deluge makes no mention of Irishmen having been taken into the ark?" "Divil the one was there," said O'Shea. "How, then, was the race perpetuated," queried Ben. "Faith," said O'Shea, "in those days the Irish were wealthy, and had a boat of their own."

The common phrase, "I thought I should kill myself laughing," became a sad reality with a man in Claremont last Friday. He was engaged in conversation with his wife and laughing very heartily, when suddenly he said: "Stop; you make me laugh too much," and falling to the floor instantly expired.

SANTA ANNA, who is seventy-six years old, is going to Mexico to spend his remaining days in the land of his birth and early glories. He says he returns under President Lerdo's proclamation of amnesty, but is firmly resolved to take no part in Mexican politics.

"Julius, can you tell me how Adam got out of Eden?" "Well, I s'pose he clum de fence." "No, dat ain't it." "Well, den, he borrowed a wheelbarrow and walked out." "No," "I gubs it up den." "He got snaked out."

A Pekin (Ill.) woman was asked by the preacher if her husband feared the Lord. She replied: "Fear Him? Bless you he is so feared of Him that he never goes out of the house on Sunday without taking his gun along with him."

Twenty per cent of California cattle have perished from the exceptional severe cold of the present winter.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Samuel W. Snyder and Gaby Snyder, his wife, of Macon county, Illinois, did on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1872, by their certain Deed of Trust, convey to the undersigned as Trustee, certain real estate hereinafter described; situated in said county and State;

Which said Deed of Trust is recorded in book No. 35 page No. 272, in the office of the Recorder of said county, and was made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of the said Samuel W. Snyder of even date therewith, for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, payable to Asahel P. Griswold one year after the date thereof, and bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually from date until paid:

And Whereas, it is provided by said Deed of Trust that if default be made in the payment of any part of the principal sum mentioned in said note, and on application of the legal holder of said promissory note it shall and may be lawful for the said Trustee, after publishing notice for the sale of said premises in some newspaper, published in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, for the term of four weeks before the day of such sale, to sell the said premises, together with all right and equity of redemption, of the said Samuel W. Snyder and Gaby Snyder and their legal representatives, at Public Auction, at the front door of the Court House in said county of Macon, to the highest bidder for cash, and to make, execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers thereof, a deed or deeds for the premises in fee simple, free from all homestead rights of said Samuel W. Snyder and Gaby Snyder therein;

And Whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note and the interest thereon accrued, and the legal holder thereof has made application to the undersigned Trustee to sell said premises under the power and authority contained in said Deed of Trust, public notice is, therefore, hereby given that the undersigned Trustee will sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county and State, for cash in hand, on

Friday, the 27th day of March, A. D. 1874,

at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of the said Samuel W. Snyder and Gaby Snyder, his wife, both legal and equitable, of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in Macon county, Illinois, to-wit: The west half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and the east half of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section No. thirty-three (33), in township No. sixteen (16) north, range No. three (3), east of the 3d principal meridian; being the real estate described in said Deed of Trust.

Feb. 26, 1874. LOWBER BURROWS, Trustee.
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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

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WHEREAS, Samuel D. Smith and Mary A. Smith, his wife, of the city of Decatur and State of Illinois, did, on the third day of December, A. D. 1872, by their certain Deed of Trust, convey to the undersigned as Trustee, certain real estate hereinafter described, situated in Macon county and said State;

Which said Deed of Trust is recorded in book No. 35, page 292, in the office of the Recorder of said county, and was made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note dated even therewith, executed by said Samuel D. Smith, and made payable to the order of Samuel B Pierson, for the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars, due and payable by its terms one year after the date thereof; said Deed of Trust containing conditions of defeasance upon the payment of said money and the accrued interest thereon;

And whereas, The said Trustee, in case default should be made in the payment of the said sum of money as aforesaid, with said accrued interest, upon application of the legal holder of said note, was in and by said Deed of Trust authorized and empowered, after having given twenty days notice of sale by publishing the same in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, State of Illinois, to sell said land at public sale, for cash in hand, to the highest and best bidder, and to convey said land to the purchaser thereof, at said sale, by good and sufficient deed in fee simple, free from the homestead rights of said Samuel D. Smith, and Mary A. Smith, his wife, therein;

And whereas, Default having been made in the payment of said note and the interest thereon accrued, Samuel B. Pierson, the legal holder of said note, has this day applied to me as said Trustee, and requested the advertisement and sale of said land under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in said Deed of Trust;

Public notice is therefore hereby given, that the undersigned, as such Trustee, will sell at public sale, at the west door of the Court-house in the city of Decatur, in said county and State, for cash in hand, on

Tuesday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1874,

Between the hours of ten o'clock a. m and four o'clock p. m. of said day, all the interest of the said Samuel D. Smith and Mary A. Smith, his wife, both legal and equitable, of, in and to the following described real estate, situate in Macon county, Illinois, to-wit:

The south half of the northeast quarter of section number twenty-five (25) in township number sixteen (16) north, range number two (2) east of the third principal meridian, being the real estate described in said Deed of Trust.

MARTIN P. MURPHEY, Trustee.
Jan. 10, 'td.

The above sale is adjourned until February 28, 1874.
MARTIN P. MURPHEY, Trustee.
Feb. 10, 1874-td

THRESHING MACHINE FOR SALE.

—o—

WE have one of A. Gaar & Co.'s Threshing Machines, mounted power, for sale very cheap. CREA & EWING
June 5, 1873-d&wtf.

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Decatur, May 28, 1872—d-tf.

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MEAT MARKET.

—o—

THE UNDERSIGNED wishes to inform the citizens of the Fifth Ward that he has just opened a Meat Market in the building recently erected on the

Corner Eldorado & Jasper Sts.,

Near the Rolling Mill,

Where he will keep constantly on hand a good supply of all kinds of fresh meat. He solicits the patronage of the public. Farmers living east of town will find it very handy to buy their meat of me.

D. M. SAMUEL.

November 28, 1873-daw 3m,

ALF. BAILEY!

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M...1—

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THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Armstrong & Brown, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent All accounts due the late firm will be collected by W. C. Armstrong, who is also responsible for all debts of the said firm.
Jan. 29, 1874. W. C. ARMSTRONG, W. J. BROWN.

The drug business will be continued at the old stand by the undersigned, who respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage ... liberally bestowed upon the late firm ... ARMSTRONG
Decatur, Ill., Jan. 29, 1874, d-10d.

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D. L. BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE:—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

A. BROWER BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [feb8 '71

St. Nicholas Hotel,

N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois *Bus to and from the cars.* augl-tf

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

Dr. A. S. Waltz,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. June 18, 1873—d3mos*

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office in Race's Building, west side New Square, Decatur, Ill. Dec. 13, 1873-d&wtf.

B. I. Sterrett,

ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square [dec30-dawtf

E R ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store, with Eden & Odor. [au23-dly

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [jl1-daw.t

E. PARK. THOS LEE

PARK & LEE,

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Millikin's Bank.
EDWIN PARK, Notary Public. [dec13,'72-tf.

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

R. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1872-dwtf.

E. M. MA...ER

Justice of the Peace

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Wednesday Evening, March 4.

ORIN WATERS, heretofore business manager of the Bloomington *Leader*, has become sole proprietor of that paper.

A CRY goes up from Washington City which appeals to the sympathy of every right-minded American citizen. It is a cry for pure unadulterated cow's milk. "Milk," says the *Chronicle*, "is, next to water, the drink of the human family—the infant, the old man, the youth and the man, the matron and the maid, all craving it in health and in sickness, the world over. * * * Let us have a reform in the quality and price of the liquid which the universal palate of man agrees in enjoying."—We always knew the Washington papers had an inveterate fondness for the public teat, but it never occurred to us that the inhabitants of Washington City were neglecting whisky and throwing themselves away on milk and water at the rate indicated by the *Chronicle*. Think of a whole city-full living and dying in the belief that, next to water, milk is the drink of the human family! What will Cincinnati and Louisville say to such a diabolical dietetic heresy?

It is worthy of remark that the independent newspapers of the country, that were so uncompromising in their denunciation of the so-called Christian statesmen who were involved in the Credit Mobilier scandal, have shown a wonderful tenderness and respect for the feelings of that other Christian statesman who paid $12,500 to buy a park ordinance through the Cincinnati Council. Mr. Groesbeck has been an elder in the Presbyterian Church for many years, and has been often mentioned as a Democratic candidate for the Presidency. If he had been a Republican, the independent press would have united in a howl of execration against the bogus Christian statesman who used his money for corrupt purposes.—*St. Louis Democrat.*

OTTAWA, Ill., March 3.—A very large and enthusiastic temperance meeting was held last evening at the Methodist Church in this city. Ministers of different denominations were present, who delivered short addresses. Resolutions were passed by the ladies, pledging to do all in their power to forward the good cause and close those hell-holes of which we have the very modest number of between eighty and a hundred. A committee of seven gentlemen was appointed to make future arrangements and plans for the battle. A meeting of the committee and ladies will be held next Thursday afternoon, in the basement of the Methodist Church, when it is expected that the campaign will open in earnest. A large majority of the saloon keepers being Germans, a long and tedious battle is expected.

CHICAGO, March 3.—The attempt to organize a woman's temperance crusade in this city has been virtually abandoned, even before it had taken any definite form. At a meeting of ladies interested in the cause, to-day, some prominent movers in the matter announced their intention of giving up the attempt, as neither the press nor the clergy of the city sustained the movement. There is a general feeling among all classes that the plan which has worked successfully in smaller towns would prove a failure in this city. Some of the wholesale liquor dealers here assert that the temperance movement in the country has already affected their business unfavorably.

MAROA ITEMS.

MAROA, March 4th, 1874.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—The meetings at the M. E. Church still continue successful in attendance and interest. Rev. Mr. Pellat, a former minister, labored in them two or three days last week. He looks thin and overworked.

Last Thursday some twenty prominent citizens, A. F. and A. Masons, went to Clinton to attend the funeral services of O. B. Kidder, a former citizen of this township. The services were conducted at the residence, by Rev. Mr. Piper of Clinton, and Rev. Mr. Hood of Maroa. The deceased was then buried at the cemetery, according to Masonic ritual, Dr. Goodbrake, W. M., officiating: Rev. Mr. Hood, Chaplain.

Last Saturday the funeral of Matilda Jane, a young child of Mr. J. T. Nichols, was held at the Christian Church, Elder Beckman officiating.

T. S. Collins has been passing a few days here. Judging from his physique, Gibson must be a good place to live in.

Mr. Jason Rogers has discovered that the clergy like beef better than chickens; at any late we have heard two or three times within three months of his sending a quarter or a half of a quarter of beef to one and another of them.

The subject of temperance is talked about some, and thought about more in this community. It seems to be the prevailing opinion that we cannot have a temperance victory in this place in April, unless there can be a temperance revival between now and then, and this reminds us that at a recent school exhibition, a very impressive piece was "The Bridal Wine Cup," a piece in which Miss Tozer was the principal, acting finely her part. It was better than a temperance lecture.

Henry Stauffer, one of our "Town Board" has moved away to take charge of the DeWitt County poor farm.

CITIZEN.

THE DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Financial Report.

Report of the Treasurer of Decatur School District, for the school year commencing August 1st, 1872, and ending July 31st, 1873:

1872.
Aug. 1, To balance on hand (see last report) ... $1,387 93
1873.
Jan 20 to March 22, To am't rec'd of H H Brown, Collector ... 26,417 39
March 20, To am't rec'd of O F McKim, Co. Sup't ... 3,401 38
June 23, To am't rec'd of Wm M Boyd, Co. Treas ... 4,383 91
$35,590 61

CREDIT.
1873.
July 31, By paid outstanding orders from last year ... $ 187 05
" By paid orders drawn present fiscal year ... 33,032 83
" By balance on hand ... 2,370 73
$35,590 61

J. R. GORIN, Treas.

A statement of the expenditures of the Board of Education of Decatur School District, for the school year commencing August 1st, 1872, and ending July 31st, 1873:

EXPENSES.
Drayage ... $ 52 74
Fuel ... 916 05
Interest ... 5,391 45
Incidentals ... 443 00
Insurance ... 650 05
Janitors ... 1,552 03
Printing ... 162 50
Repairs ... 1,364 09
Rent ... 35 00
Salary ... 15,471 42
Stationery ... 134 01
$26,202 13

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.
Furniture ... $723 00
Water supply ... 22 90
First ward house ... 100 00
$845 90

DEBTS PAID.
Bonds ... $6,000 00
$6,000 00

Total payments ... $33,048 33
Paid by orders on Treasurer ... $33,048 33
Orders on Treasurer, outstanding and unpaid ... 15 50

E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

Detailed statement of expenditures:

DRAYAGE.
1872.
Oct 27, To Walter Pope ... $28 24
1873
Feb 14, To " " ... 10 10
Apr 23, To Newman ... 1 00
July 9, To Walter Pope ... 3 00
" 31, To W. Pope and F Walser, per E A Gastman, Sup't ... 10 40
Total ... $52 74

FUEL.
1872.
Nov 14, To George Howard ... $ 6 50
1873.
Jan 17, To Thos Downing ... 238 50
" 18, To Western Coal and Mining Company ... 314 25
Mch 15, To John R Race ... 15 00
May 2, To John Simpson ... 2 25
" 20, To W W Jamison ... 10 00
" 23, To West. Coal & Mining Co ... 304 90
" 29, To M Forstmyer ... 5 00
June 11, To Fred Weisner ... 35 65
July 14, To W W Jamison ... 13 00
" 31, To E A Gastman ... 1 00
Total ... $964 05

INTEREST.
1872.
Aug 3, To Myer & Brandt ... $ 225 00
Sept 27 To W P Hazelton ... 2,255 00
Nov 18, To Ruttan Heating and Ventilating Co ... 14 40
1873
Feb 4, To Myer & Brandt ... 225 00
Mch 26, To W P Hazelton ... 2,251 00
April 1, To D C Shockley ... 16 67
" 23, To J Millikin & Co, on over drafts ... 221 88
June 23, To Myer & Brandt ... 117 50
Total ... $5,391 45

INCIDENTALS.
1872.
Oct 1, To Wm M Boyd, error in R R tax ... $138 12
Oct 8, To District No 6, tuition of pupils ... 2 80
Oct 15, To J B R Sherrick, taking school census ... 30 00
1873.
Jan 22, To R Liddle, mdse. as per bill ... 29 80
Jan 17, To D Kyle, for brooms ... 18 60
Feb 21, To R C Crocker, for mdse ... 1 60
Mar 3, To Abel & Locke, " ... 24 00
Mar 15, To Decatur Gas Light and Coke Company ... 1 40
Mar 27, To E Hopkins, error in assessment ... 7 54
Apr 12, To C P Smith, for extra work ... 7 50
Apr 23, To John Klett, for work as per bill ... 5 63
Apr 25, To Close & Griswold ... 4 05
June 3, To Decatur Gas Light & Coke Company ... 2 40
June 13, To Decatur Water Works ... 36 65
June 28, To District No. 4, tuition of children ... 88 95
July 31, To E A Gastman, Sup't, sundries as per bill ... 31 45
Total ... $443 00

INSURANCE.
1873.
Feb 4, To Wood & Montgomery ... $493 75
Mar 12, To Warren & Durfee ... 156 30
Total ... $650 05

JANITORS.
John Simpson, Jones' school ... $ 37 63
A B McKee, second ward ... 82 50
Leonard Waggoner, third ward ... 30 00
Harriet Reed, third ward ... 120 00
H C Stultz, high school ... 117 10
Hugh Foutch, second ward ... 187 50
Chas P Smith, high school ... 388 00
John Klett, third ward ... 75 00
David Fields, colored school ... 19 00
Mrs Graves, " " ... 16 00
C W Mullins, third ward ... 90 00
John Schemerhorn, first ward ... 225 00
Fred Weisner, fourth ward ... 144 00
J H Lanham, third ward ... 15 00
Jos McCrary, " " ... 5 00
Total ... $1,552 03

PRINTING.
1872.
Sept 28, To Hamsher & Mosser, pamphlet report of last year ... $62 00
Nov 18, To N C Nason, Peoria, abstracts 20 00
Dec 30, To A H Corman ... 2 50
1873.
Mch 6, To Hamsher & Mosser ... 21 00
May 6, To Miller & Addis ... 5 00
May 23, To Hamsher & Mosser ... 20 00
July 10, To same ... 24 50
July 28, To Miller & Addis ... 7 50
Total ... $162 50

REPAIRS.
1872.
Oct 14, To Young and Jones, cleaning wells ... $ 49 56
Nov 13 To A Bradley, repairs on pumps 25 00
" To Ruttan Heating and Ventilating Co, repairs on furnaces 130 45
Nov 18, To D M Fielding, work and material, as per bill ... 128 07
Dec 7, To H Bishop, work, re-setting furnaces ... 31 70
1873.
Jan 16, To I Baldwin, repairing roof of 2d ward ... 68 00
Jan 17, To D Brockway, resetting glass 14 48
" To Abbott and Deardorff, repairs on wells ... 19 57
Jan 18, To Stare & Bro, lumber ... 1 38
Feb 8, To Young and Jones, repairs on wells ... 12 10
Feb 21, To R C Crocker, repairs on furnace pipes ... 23 00
Feb 26, To B R Tuttle, lumber for privy vaults ... 18 65
Mch 20, To Ruttan Heating and Ventilating Co, repairs on furnaces ... 252 06
Mch 22, To Abbott & Deardorff, repairs on wells ... 7 00
" To Bennett Hot Air Furnace Co., repairs on stoves ... 20 20
Mch 28, To W A Pennell & Co, linings for fire boxes ... 65 77
April 25, To Close & Griswold, mdse as per bill ... 90 31
May 10, To W R Abbott, repairs on clocks ... 16 75
May 12, To D M Fielding, work and material as per bill ... 18 10
Total ... $1,364 09

RENT.
1873.
June 21, To trustees of colored church, for basement ... $35 00

SALARY.
Kate Stickel, nine months ... $ 450 00
Anna Magee, " ... 475 00
A A Beach, " ... 450 00
Jennie E Durfee, " ... 475 00
Alice M Betzer, " ... 475 00
Etta Foster, " ... 270 00
Catharine E Peck, 3½ months ... 191 42
Alice E Slocumb, nine months ... 400 00
David Bigelow, " ... 1200 00
Marietta W Carson, " ... 700 00
Mollie Bear, " ... 450 00
Carrie A Jamison, " ... 300 00
Sallie Roe, " ... 300 00
Calla M Parker, " ... 700 00
Mary E Grunendike, " ... 500 00
Maggie M Means, " ... 500 00
Maggie Sollars, " ... 252 00
Rachel Cook, nine months ... $ 300 00
Ida Moffitt, " ... 252 00
Lizzie Leeper, " ... 600 00
Mary Wilder, " ... 700 00
Chloe Murphy, " ... 500 00
Philo S Fenton, 8½ months ... 425 00
Mary W French, nine months ... 600 00
Miranda M Sargent " ... 600 00
Emily H Cotton, " ... 600 00
Annie M Burnham, " ... 500 00
Enoch A Gastman, 12 months ... 1800 00
Ottoria A Alexander, 9 months ... 450 00
C P Smith, part of time 3½ months ... 50 00
Carrie S Gastman, two days ... 2 00
E M Beswick, one day ... 1 00
Total ... $15471 42

STATIONERY.
1872.
Oct 8, To Litsinberger & Sutton, mdse $22 10
Dec 16, To Wm Isenberg, Cincinnati, Ohio, Registers ... 8 00
1873.
Jan 16, To W E Wilson, Crayons &c ... 19 50
Feb 15, " Woodworth, Ainsworth & Co, Ch'cago, pens ... 22 00
April 23, To Litsinberger & Sutton, ink crayon, &c ... 57 31
July 3, To J N Randall & Co, mdse as p r bill ... 5 10
Total ... $134 01

FURNITURE.
1873.
Feb 4, To J W Butman, gas fixtures, high school ... $ 6 05
April 12, To Vanduzen & Tift, Cincinnati, O, bell at high school ... 596 45
May 10, To D M Fielding, for taking down 1 and hanging 2 bells ... 49 10
June 7, To D M Lintner, window shades 4th ward ... 35 00
" 28, To A H Andrews & Co, Chicago, ink wells ... 6 00
" " To A A Murray, lawn mower ... 23 75
July 31, To E A Gastman, Sup't, ink wells ... 6 65
Total ... $723 00

WATER SUPPLY.
1872.
Aug 27, To H Mueller, cocks and hose, as per bill ... $22 90

FIRST WARD HOUSE.
1873.
July 28, To G P Randall, Chicago, for plans for addition ... $100 00

BONDS.
1873.
April 1, To D C Shockley ... $1500 00
June 23, To Myer & Brandt ... 4500 00
Total ... $6000 00
Grand total of payments during the fiscal year ... $33048 33

A statement showing the total indebtedness of Decatur School District on the 31st day of July, 1873, as shown by the records:
Bonds numbered from 88 to 132, both inclusive, and payable to W P Hazleton, in New York ... $45000 00
Orders on Treasurer outstanding & unpaid ... 15 50
Total ... $45015 50

E A GASTMAN, Clerk.

Account of monies received for tuition of pupils living out of this District, and from other sources, together with the expenditures of the same, for the year ending July 31, 1873:
1872.
Aug 1, To balance on hand (see last report) ... $115 47
1873.
July 31, To am't rec'd from all sources during the year (for items see report on file) ... 327 20
Total ... $442 67

CONTRA—
1873.
July 31, By amount paid for books, maps, charts, &c, for the schools ... $213 15
" " By am't paid for zoological & geological specimens ... 15 15
" " By am't for trees and plants ... 58 20
" " By " " apparatus ... 38 90
" " By am't for rebinding books, expressage and incidentals ... 27 20
Total ... $382 60
July 31, By balance on hand ... 60 07
$442 67

E A GASTMAN, Sup't.

Table showing the name of teacher, number of different pupils enrolled, number remaining at the close of the year, average number belonging, average daily attendance, per cent. of attendance, and number of tardinesses in every school in the city for the year ending July 31, 1873;

NAMES OF TEACHERS	No. of different pupils enrolled	No. remaining at end of year.	Average No belonging.	Average daily attendance.	Per cent. of attendance.	No. tardinesses during year.
GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.						
Mr Bigelow	93	67	79.2	71.8	91.4	25
Miss Carson	95	58	71.1	67.	94.4	75
" Magee	77	47	69.5	56.8	93 3	98
" Parker	91	58	65.9	63.1	95 6	79
" Means	80	52	62.7	60.2	95.9	90
" Wilder	81	30	41.7	41.2	92 7	60
INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS.						
Miss Murphy	71	37	44.0	41.9	91.0	24
Mrs Slocumb	66	40	46 9	43.6	93.5	26
Miss Beach	62	41	46.7	42.5	91.2	30
" Betzer	60	43	45.8	42.3	92 3	56
" Durfee	84	53	60.5	56 6	93.7	128
" Burnham	73	49	53.4	50.6	91.4	149
Mrs Alexander	72	57	57.1	54.0	94.6	89
Miss Sollars	74	42	40.0	37 2	92.7	33
PRIMARY SCHOOLS.						
Miss Bear	92	59	65.8	61.9	94.0	136
" Jamison	135	81	81.3	73.9	90.3	104
" Leeper	106	74	72.0	66.8	93.0	80
" Roe	116	74	77 8	69.8	9 5	131
" Moffitt	122	82	64.3	55 2	90.3	135
" Stickel	78	49	49.3	48.2	95.2	59
" Cook	110	43	54.1	48.7	89.8	79
COLORED SCHOOL.						
Mr Fenton	41	18	22 8	21.2	92 7	137
HIGH SCHOOL.						
Mr Gastman	183	127	153.5	146.9	95.6	185
Total in city	2077	1287	1416	1324	93.2	2018
JONES' SCHOOL.						
Miss Foster	47	19	22 0	18 0	80 5	149
Grand total	2124	1306	1438	1342	92 7	2167

GENERAL STATISTICS.
Whole number of children in district between 6 and 21 years of age ... 2,466
Whole number of different pupils enrolled in schools ... 2,121
Average number of pupils belonging to schools ... 1,438.4
Average daily attendance ... 1,342
Average per cent. of attendance ... 92.7
Number of tardinesses during the year ... 2,167
Number of male teachers employed ... 2
" " female " ... 25
Highest salary paid male teacher ... $ 1 200 00
Lowest " " " " ... 450 00
Average " " " " ... 825 00
Highest " " female " ... 700 00
Lowest " " " " ... 252 00
Average " " " " ... 472 00
Salary paid Superintendent ... 1,800 00
Cost per pupil on average number belonging, for tuition alone, including high school ... 10 92
Cost per pupil on average number belonging, for all expenses, except interest, including high school ... 14 70
Cost per pupil on average number belonging, for all expenses and the interest paid, including high school ... 18 50
Decrease of the debt during the year 6,173 55
" of debt during past 2 years 15,205 37

NOTE.—I respectfully ask the indulgence of the public for the long delay in issuing this report. It should have been published in August last, but I was then absent at the Anderson School of Natural History. Since my return, a severe attack of sickness and my ordinary school duties have prevented its earlier publication. I trust this will not occur again.

E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [Sept1 d1m

Seed Wheat. Choice Northern spring wheat for seed for sale at the St Clair Mill, at only $1,50 per bushel.
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Coal, Cheap.—Fred Smith sells coal for four dollars per ton, delivered. 20-dtf

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

LEGISLATIVE!

Progress of the Temperance War.

THE CRUSADE TO BE ABANDONED IN CHICAGO.

WHAT IS BEING DONE ELSEWHERE

Republican Victory at Rock Island.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., March 3.—In the Senate petitions were presented: By Mr. Nicholson, from 150 producers and shippers of Logan county, praying for a modification of the Railroad law. By Mr. Voris, a similar petition from citizens of Iroquois county. Both petitions were sent to the Railroad Committee.

Mr. Canfield introduced a bill permitting territory to be detached from cities and towns.

The order of consideration of bills by sections came up in the Senate, and about fifty bills were laid on the table, and no favorable action was taken on any bill.

Mr. Sanford from the Judiciary Committee, reported favorably a bill regulating practice in courts of record; also a bill concerning attorneys and counsellors at-law, and with the following bills were ordered to a third reading: Repealing thea et attaching fractional towns in Kankakee county for school purposes; relating to charitable uses.

A petition was presented by Mr. Palmer, from a citizen of Iriquios county, asking for a repeal of the Railroad law.

HOUSE.

The House granted the use of their hall to the Fortieth Parallel Railroad Convention to-morrow night

Mr. Barclay, Chairman of the Committee on the Penitentiary, reported favorably on the Senate bill regulating convict labor.

Mr. Jones the chairman of the Contingent Expenses Committee, reported a reduction of the House clerks to six, which is yet six too many.

The criminal code being in order, a motion to strike out the section allowing criminals to testify in their own behalf was laid on the table—ayes, 82, nays, 29 (lawyers).

Mr. Orendorff's amendment prohibiting combinations to prevent bidding for contracts let by the State, counties or municipalities, was adopted.

An amendment was offered by Mr. Hollenback, providing for the criminal prosecution of railroad officials who shall charge extortionate rates, and subjecting them to fine and imprisonment; which was adopted—ayes 59, nays 55.

Mr. Dunham's amendment, providing that no sentence of death shall be executed until ten days after the next session of the Supreme Court in either Grand Division where a conviction is had, was adopted.

A motion was made to reconsider the amendment making railroad managers criminally responsible for extortion; whereupon, Mr. Shaw supported the amendment in an able speech showing the good results to come from it, in which view he was supported by Mr. Savage. Messrs. Amstrong, of Grundy, Boone, of Adams, Morrison, of Marion, and Rogers, of McLean, favored its reconsideration; but without reaching a vote, the further consideration of the bill was postponed till next Thursday—yeas, 71; nays, 35.

The Senate bill concerning county courts and fixing the terms thereof was passed—ayes, 101; nays, 4.

The Governor has signed the following bills; Increasing the fees of officers in Cook county; revising the law relating to habeas corpus; relating to County Surveyors, and the custody of United States field-notes.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., March 3.—The city election held here to-day resulted in a complete victory for the Republicans. Dr. T. G Galt was elected mayor by a majority of 160 votes, a larger majority than has been given for the mayoralty for a number of years. His opponent for six terms was elected by the Democrats, but is now defeated. The Republicans elected five out of six aldermen. This gives them a majority in the Council.

JACKSONVILLE, ILL., March 3—A large mass meeting of the citizens of Jacksonville was held at the Court house in this city to-night, in the interest of the proposed grand enterprise of building a four track railway from the East to the West on the fortieth parallel. One hundred of the prominent citizens of Jacksonville and Morgan County were appointed delegates to the convention to be held at Springfield to-morrow in furtherance of this great projected railway.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 4—5 P. M.

Wheat was fairly active, but unsettled and irregular, and closed at a decline of ¾c. No. 2 spring sold at $1,18@1,19½ cash; $1,19⅞@1,21 seller April, and $1,25¾ seller May.

Flour was dull. We quote: Superfine, $3,50@4,50; spring extras, $5,50@6.

Corn opened dull, later became firm, and closed tame. No. 2 sold at 59@59¾c cash; 60@60⅝c seller April, and 63½@61¼c seller May.

Oats opened strong and closed dull. No. 2 sold at 43@43½c cash or seller March; 43⅞@44¼c seller April, and 47@47¼ seller May.

Rye quotable at 84½@85½c for No. 2.

Barley was in fair demand, but buyers and sellers were apart, and the market was quiet. No. 2 sold at $1,57 for regular receipts; No. 3 at $1,40 cash, and $1,47 buyer March.

Highwines were easier, with rumored sales at 92c.

Provisions were firm.

Mess pork sold at $14@14,20 cash; $14,10@14 15 seller March; $14,37½a14,45 seller April, and $14,70a14,75 seller May.

Lard sold at $8,55 cash, and $8,90 seller May.

Hogs were dull and prices lower. Sales were at $4,25a5,25 for common to good lots.

Beef cattle were dull and nominal.

Glad Tiding of Great Joy to the Farmers.—R. N. Ham & Bro. are now receiving the largest stock of plows, cultivators and planters that was ever brought to Decatur, and intend to sell them at bottom prices. Mar5-wtf.

New Advertisements.

Smith's Opera House!

MANAGER, - - - D. HANCHETT.

The Peoples' Favorite, MISS

FANNY B. PRICE

Supported by a Powerful Company.

Wednesday Night, March 4.

Will be presented the beautiful Five-Act Drama, entitled

PEARL OF SAVOY,

—OR—

A Mother's Prayer.

MARIE, The Pearl of Savoy, MISS FANNY B. PRICE.

To conclude with the Laughable Farce

We All Have Our Little Faults

SCALE OF PRICES:
Reserved Seats ... 75 Cents
General Admission ... 50 "
Gallery ... 35 "

No extra charge for Reserved Seats. For sale at W. R. Abbott's Jewelry Store.

Doors Open at 7 o'clock, commence at 8.
Feb 27-8t.

BRONZE TURKEYS!

A few choice pure Bronze Goblers and Hens for sale by MRS. J. L. CONNELLY, Harristown, Ill.
Mar5-3w.

NOTICE.

DISTRICT COURT OF UNITED STATES, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS. At Decatur, the 27th day of February, 1874.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of A. A. Zekind, of Decatur, in the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors' petition, by the district court of said district. WILLIAM C. JOHNS,
d4w Assignee.

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between H. B. Lewis & Bro., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Harrison B. Lewis withdrawing from the firm. The business will be continued by Dewight F. Lewis. All parties indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle at once.
HARRISON B. LEWIS,
DEWIGHT F. LEWIS.
March 2, 1874—d1w*

NEW

ABSTRACT OFFICE!

ALBERT BARNES

ABSTRACTER, CONVEYANCER,

—AND—

NOTARY PUBLIC.

No. 7 Powers Block, Decatur, Ill.

Will furnish Abstracts showing *in full* the essential matters of all DEEDS, MORTGAGES, TRUST EEEDS, WILLS, DECREES, TAX SALES, JUDGMENTS, &C., which effect any tract of land or town lot in Macon County, Illinois.

Deeds, Mortgages, Leases, &c., written.

Blanks of all Kinds For Sale.

feb 25, 1874-wly d6w.

FOR SALE.

A TWO STORY, frame dwelling, on Webster street, with lot 132x200 feet; well set out with shrubbery and fruit trees. Will be sold very cheap. Enquire at this office.
Feb 4-d1m.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the May Term, 1874.

MARY A. STOVER, } In Chancery.
vs.
AMOS STOVER. }

Affidavit of the non-residence of Amos Stover the above named defendant having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court, notice is, therefore, hereby given to the said Amos Stover that the complainant filed her bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 27th day of February, 1874, and that thereupon a summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the second Monday in the month of May next, as is by law required. Now, unless you the said Amos Stover, shall personally be and appear before the Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in and for the said county, on the second Monday in May next, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, Illinois, Feb. 27, 1874.
J. C. McBRIDE, Compt's Sol.
Feb 27-d4w.

MRS. F. L. HICKMAN,

DEALER IN

STAPLE AND FANCY MILLINERY!

OVER J. L. KNIEPER'S JEWELRY ESTABLISHMENT, NO. 10 NORTH WATER STREET.

December 22,-d1y.

REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To Fred George or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 3, block 9, in South addition to Decatur: That said lot was assessed in the name of Fred George for taxes of said year 1871, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.
feb 27-d3w1 M. P. MURPHEY.

To Peter Moon or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lot of land, to-wit: Lot 1, resurvey of lot 6, D. A. Allen's addition of outlots to Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.
feb 21-d3w] GEO. SHAFFER.

To John K. Smith or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lot of land, to-wit: North part of the east half of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter section 31, town 17, range 3 east of the 3d P. M.; and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.
feb21-d3w] GEO. SHAFFER, Forsyth, Ill.

To Wm. Graham or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county, and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described tracts of land, to-wit: The east half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter; the south half of the south half, of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, of the southeast quarter and the south half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter, all in section 21, town 16, north range 1 west of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874. J. P. FARIS,
feb 17-d3w. Assignee.

To Leeds & Carr or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 22, town 16 north, range 1 west of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.
J. P. FARIS,
feb 17-d3w1 Assignee.

To J. G. Strickland or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 22, town 16 north, range 1 west of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874
J P. FARIS,
feb 17-d3w Assignee.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS J. Byron Leathers and Melissa Leathers, his wife, of the county of Shelby and State of Illinois, did on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1872, by their certain Deed of Trust, convey to the undersigned as Trustees, certain real estate hereinafter described; situated in the county of Shelby in said State;

Which said Deed of Trust is recorded in the Recorder's office of said Shelby county, in book 8 of mortgages page 191, and was made to secure the payment of one promissory note, bearing even date with said Deed of Trust, for the sum of Four Thousand Dollars, executed by the said J. Byron Leathers, payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold five years after the date thereof, with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date until paid; the first payment of interest to be made on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1872, for the period ending on that day, and thereafter the interest to be paid semi-annually on the first days of November and May in each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the day of maturity of said note, according to interest coupons annexed to said note;

And Whereas, By the terms of said Deed of Trust, it is provided that if the said J. Byron Leathers, his executors or administrators, shall fail to pay or cause to be paid, to the said Asahel P. Griswold, or the legal holder or holders of said note, any of the principal sum payable thereby or any installment of interest thereon, as the said principal and interest and each and every of them shall become due and payable by the tenor and effect of said note and interest coupons respectively, then, and in such case, the said promissory note with the interest accrued thereon, shall thereupon, each and every of them, in respect to, and for the purposes of the trust thereby created, become and be all of them presently due and payable, without the necessity of any demand of payment, and on application of the legal holder of said promissory note the undersigned trustees may thereupon at once proceed to sell the property therein described, entire, without sub-division, or in parcels, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, first giving public notice of the time, and place, and terms of said sale, and of the property to be sold, by an advertisement thereof, in some public newspaper published in the city of Decatur, thirty days prior to the day of sale, and to make, acknowledge and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers of said premises, deed or deeds of conveyance therefor in fee simple;

And whereas, default having been made in the payment of interest upon said promissory note, due and payable on the 1st day of November, A. D. 1873, whereby by the terms of the said Deed of Trust, the said promissory note with the interest accrued thereon, become, and was for the purpose of the trust created, presently due and payable; and the legal holders of said note having made application to the undersigned Trustees, and requested the advertisement and sale of said premises, under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in said Deed of Trust, public notice is, therefore, hereby given that on

Tuesday, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1874,

at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois—being the west door of the present Court House—we, the undersigned Trustees, shall, under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon us by said Deed of Trust, offer for sale, at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Shelby and State of Illinois, to-wit: The southwest quarter, and the north west quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. nineteen (19), in township No. ten (10) north, range No. five (5), east of the third principal meridian. Also the east half of the southeast quarter of section No. five (5), in township No. nine (9), north, range No. five (5), east of the third principal meridian, containing in all two hundred and eighty-five (285) acres; and all homestead rights, and all right, title, benefit and equity of redemption of the said J. Byron Leathers and Melissa Leathers therein, to pay said note and interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, as by the said Deed of Trust is provided.

Decatur, Illinois, February 21, 1874.
JASPER J. PEDDECORD,
LOWBER BURROWS,
Feb. 23-d 30 Trustees.

AUCTION SALES!

J. N. FULLER

WILL MAKE SALES in city or country, and will receive goods for sale on commission.

A large stock of Furs now selling at Abel & Locke's old stand.

LEAVE ORDERS

—AT—

49 South Main Street, Decatur.

November 3, 1873—d6m.

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Decatur, May 3, 1873-dtf.

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Corner Water

PLATFORM CARRIAGES built
PIANO and COAL BOX BUGG
kinds. Always up to the times, and

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November 17, 1873. d&w-3m.

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[You are h]ereby notified that at a sale of [lands and t]own lots for state, county and [special taxe]s, made in pursuance of law, in [the county] of Macon and state of Illinois, on [the 10th] day of June, A. D. 1872, for [the taxes f]or the year 1871, I purchased [the followi]ng described lot, to-wit: Lot 3, [...]south addition to Decatur; That [lot wa]s assessed in the name of Fred [...] taxes of said year 1871, and that [the time of] the redemption thereof from [said sale w]ill expire on the 10th day of [June, A. D.] 1874.
M. P. MURPHEY.

[...]on or whom it may concern:
[You are h]ereby notified that at a sale of [lands and] town lots for state, county and [special tax]es, made in pursuance of law, in [the county] of Macon and state of Illinois, on [the 10th da]y of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes [for the yea]r 1871, I purchased the following [described l]ot of land, to-wit: Lot 1, resur[vey of lot ...], D. A. Allen's addition of out[lots to Dec]atur, and that the time of the re[demption t]hereof from said sale will expire [on the 10th] day of June, A. D. 1874.
GEO. SHAFFER.

[...]Smith or whom it may concern:
[You are h]ereby notified that at a sale of [lands and] town lots for state, county and [special tax]es, made in pursuance of law, in [the county] of Macon and state of Illinois, on [the 10th da]y of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes [for the yea]r 1871, I purchased the following [described l]ot of land, to-wit: North part [of the east] half of the northeast quarter of [the northw]est quarter section 31, town 17, [range 3 ea]st of the 3d P. M.; and that the [time of th]e redemption thereof from said [sale will e]xpire on the 10th day of June, A. [D. 1874.]
GEO. SHAFFER, Forsyth, Ill.

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J. P. FARIS, Assignee.

[...] Carr or whom it may concern:
[You are] hereby notified that at a sale of [lands and] town lots for state county and [special tax]es, made in pursuance of law, in [the count]y of Macon and state of Illinois, on [the 10th da]y of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes [for the yea]r 1871, J. G. Kizer purchased the [following] described tract of land, to-wit: [...] quarter of the southeast quar[ter of the] southeast quarter of section 22, [town 16 n]orth, range 1 west of the 3d P. M., [and that] the time of the redemption [thereof fr]om said sale will expire on the 10th [day of Ju]ne, A. D. 1874.
J. P. FARIS, Assignee.

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J. P. FARIS, Assignee.

[TR]USTEES' SALE.

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[...] J. Byron Leathers and Me[lissa] Leathers, his wife, of the county [of ...] and State of Illinois, did on the [...] January, A. D. 1872, by their cer[tain deed] of Trust, convey to the under[signed] Trustees, certain real estate here[inafter de]scribed, situated in the county of [Shelby an]d said State;
[And said] Deed of Trust [was] recorded in [the Recor]der's office of said Shelby county, [in book ...] page 191, and was [given to] secure the payment of one promis[sory not]e of even date with said Deed [for the sum] of Four Thousand Dol[lars, made] by the said J. Byron Leathers, [payable] to the order of Asahel P. Griswold [... aft]er the date thereof, with inter[est at the ra]te of ten per cent per annum [payable a]nnually, the first payment of [interest] to be made on the 1st day of May, A. [D. ... fo]r the period ending on that day, [and ther]eafter the interest to be paid semi-[annually o]n the first days of November and [May in e]ach year, until the last payment of [interest,] which was to be made on the day [of matur]ity of said note, according to inter[est coupo]ns annexed to said note;
[And wher]eas, By the terms of said Deed of [Trust it wa]s provided that if the said J. Byron [Leathers], his executors or administrators, [should fa]il to pay or cause to be paid, to the [said Asah]el P. Griswold or the legal holder [thereof,] said note, any of the principal [or interest p]ayable thereby or any installment of [interest] thereon, as the said principal and [interest] and each and every of them shall [become] due and payable by the tenor and [effect of] said note and interest coupons re[spective]ly, then, and in such case, the said [promis]sory note with the interest accrued [thereon, sh]all thereupon, each and every of [them, with] respect to, and for the purposes of [the trust] thereby created, become and be all [of them] presently due and payable, without [the nece]ssity of any demand of payment, [and upon] application of the legal holder of [said prom]issory note the undersigned trus[tees ma]y thereupon at once proceed to sell [the pro]perty therein described, entire, with[out sub]-division, or in parcels, at public [auction] to the highest bidder for cash, at [the fro]nt door of the Court House, in the [city of] Decatur, in the county of Macon and [State o]f Illinois, first giving public notice of [the tim]e, and place, and terms of said sale, [and of] the property to be sold, by an adver[tisement] thereof, in some public newspaper [publish]ed in the city of Decatur, thirty days [prior t]o the day of sale, and to make, ex[ecute, ackno]wledge and deliver to the purchaser or [purcha]sers of said premises, deed or deeds [of conv]eyance therefor in fee simple;
[And wh]ereas, default having been made in [the pay]ment of interest upon said promis[sory no]te, due and payable on the 1st day of [Novem]ber, A. D. 1873, whereby by the terms [of said] Deed of Trust, the said promisso[ry note] with the interest accrued thereon, [becam]e, and was for the purpose of the trust [create]d, presently due and payable; and [the leg]al holders of said note having made [applica]tion to the undersigned Trustees, [and re]quested the advertisement and sale [of said p]remises, under and by virtue of the [power] and authority contained in said Deed [of Trus]t, public notice is, therefore, hereby [given th]at on

[Tues]day, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1874,

[at ...] o'clock in the forenoon of said [day, at] the front door of the Court House, in [the cit]y of Decatur, County of Macon and [State of] Illinois, [at] the west door of the [said] Court House, we, the undersigned [Trustee]s, shall, under and by virtue of the [power] conferred upon us by said Deed of [Trust, o]ffer for sale, at public auction to the [highest] and best bidder for cash, the follow[ing desc]ribed real estate, situate, lying and [being i]n the County of Shelby and State of [Illinois], to-wit: The southwest quarter, [...] northwest quarter of the southeast [quarter of] section No. nineteen (19), in [town]ship No. ten (10) north, range No. five [(5) east] of the third principal meridian. [...] east half of the southeast quarter [of secti]on No. five (5), in township No. nine [(9), ran]ge No. five (5), east of the third [principa]l meridian, containing in all two [hundre]d and eighty-five (285) acres; and all [the right]s, and all right, title, benefit [and equ]ity of redemption of the said J. By[ron Leath]ers and Melissa Leathers therein, [and all] right and interest thereon, and [...] and of persons of said sale, as by the [Deed o]f Trust is provided.
[...], 1874
JASPER J. PEDDECORD, LOWELL BURROWS,
[...] Trustees.

[AU]CTION SALES!

[J.] N. FULLER

[...] sales in city or country. [...] for sale on com[mission]

[...] stock of Furs now selling [...] & Locks sold stand

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—AT—

[...] South Main Street, Decatur.

[...] 1873- dom.

DRY GOODS.

We will CLOSE OUT

Our Large Stock of

CONEY, ALASKA and MINK FURS

AT COST.

Owing to Warm Weather, we have Reduced the Price of all Heavy

Flannels, Dress Goods, Blankets, &c.

All New and Desirable.

HAYS & BRUCE.

January 21, 1874-dtf.

S. EINSTEIN'S!

NEW DRY GOODS HOUSE,

No. 21 North Water St.,

—IS—

THE CHEAPEST PLACE

TO BUY

Dry Goods, Notions AND Fancy Goods.

Give Him a Trial!

Decatur, May 5, 1873-dtf.

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!



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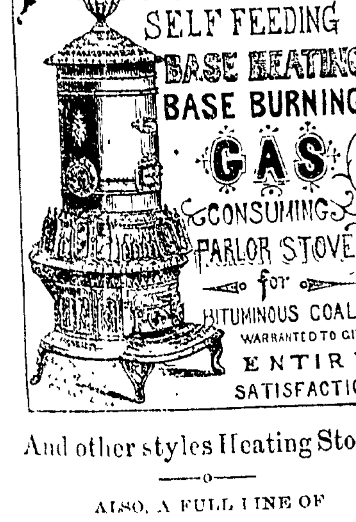
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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Wednesday Evening, March 4.

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Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

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Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Official City and County Papar.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

—o—

I desire to return thanks for past favors, and respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Collector, at the coming township election.
H. H. BROWN.*

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Boneless cod-fish at Imbodens.

...The wind changed fronts last night.

...Getting about on wheels is delightful.

...Mr. H. H. Brown announces himself in our columns to-day, as a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Collector. Mr. Brown has served the people in this capacity for two successive years and has proved himself a competent and trustworthy officer. His re-election will be a compliment that he well deserves.

...J. Ullrich & Co. keep the best brands of Java and Rio coffee.

...Farmer Coltrin ascribes his defeat yesterday to the fact that there were too many town people in the Second ward.

...A lady teacher in one of our schools inquired of the members of a class of juveniles, if any of them could name the four seasons. Instantly the chubby hand of a five-year old was raised, and promptly came the answer, "Pepper, salt, vinegar and mustard."

...Neidermeyer keeps the best brand of sugar cured hams.

...On Monday, nearly twenty persons from out of town called at the Central Surgical Institute for consultation and treatment.

...Knots of men gather on the corners today to discuss the results of the election.

...Pedestrians complain of the composition side walk on Merchant street.

...Mr. Fenton is to put up three stores at the corner of North Water and William streets, upon which, work is to be commenced at once.

...For the best family flour, corn and rye meal, go to Barnett & Waggoner's.

...A good audience assembled at the Christian church last night, and were very highly pleased by an able and eloquent discourse on Repentence, by Elder Adams. Subject for this evening, "The Old, Old Story." Services begin at 7:15. Let everybody come.

...Notwithstanding the cold wind and frost of this morning, robins and bluebirds were lively and made the air vocal with their songs.

...Now that the Superintendent of the Gas Works is elected to the council, we shall look for better gas and more of it.

...The Worrell Sisters are booked to appear at the Opera house on Monday and Tuesday evenings of next week.

...Fresh oranges and lemons at the Gem store.

...We hear of a gentleman in this city who, when he happens to get intoxicated, goes to his room, gives himself a good scolding, after which he inflicts a severe chastisement upon himself with a stout switch, and winds up by making himself promise himself to behave himself, in default of which he will get another and more severe whipping.

...The effects of the election adhere to some of the fellows to-day. They worked so hard that they got exceedingly tired, and are still considerably crippled as the result.

...Roads are again impassable, and goods are delivered in hand carts, wheelbarrows and by hand.

...Two things will gather a congregation in Decatur in double quick time—one a fight and the other a fire.

Full Measure.—While DR. PRICE'S SPECIAL FLAVORINGS are full measure, other extracts are short nearly one half what they are said to contain, arranged to look large and sell cheap, a cheat on the consumer. The most of the so-called two ounce flavoring extracts hold but 1½ ounces, the 4 ounce less than 3 ounces, while Dr. Price's are full measure, just as represented, strong and pure. One trial will prove that the bottles hold one half more than others purporting to be the same size, and extracts are of the strongest and most natural flavor. 4d2w1

Election Over.—As is apt to be the case on election days, a good many fellows got gloriously drunk yesterday, and some got belligerent, and occasionally a bloody nose resulted. For the most part, however, the election passed off quietly, and everybody but defeated candidates is very well satisfied. The world will stand just the same as before. The sun will continue to rise in the east, and the stars will shine on every cloudless night.

Hungry.—A party of three young ladies living on South Franklin street, in the Fourth ward, dressed themselves in tattered garments last evening, and went from house to house, begging for bread. Some of their neighbors treated them kindly and some slammed the doors in their faces and told them to "git." This a splendid method of ascertaining the charity of people, besides having a great deal of fun.

MEMORIAL TO THE LATE HENRY PRATHER.

A window "in memoriam" Henry Prather, deceased, has just been put into position in St. John's Episcopal Church in this city. The material of which it is composed is of the finest imported stained glass, very rich in coloring, and beautiful in design. The pattern is what is called the geometrical—the same geometrical figures being thrice repeated. The upper figure contains rich emblems of the cross, anchor and crown combined. In the lower one is written the appropriate text, "Behold I come quickly." At the bottom of the window is inscribed on a crimson ground, in church text, the words, "In Memoriam, Henry Prather, died August 30, 1869." The groundwork of the figures is blue, and that of the remainder of the window gold—and all thickly interspersed with graceful designs, of very rich and varied colorings.

This window is from the stained glass works of Henry E. Sharp, New York, and is the purchase and gift to the Church of Mrs. Prather, widow of the late Henry Prather. It is a most fitting tribute of love and devotion to the memory of a kind and affectionate husband, an esteemed and highly honored citizen, an active, benevolent, devoted churchman and christian.—Henry Prather needs no memorial to tell those who knew him of his nobleness of character, of his unselfish zeal and labors in the interests of the city of his home and in the Church of his choice; his memory is embalmed in their hearts, and monuments of a noble public spirit meet the eye at every turn. To the stranger and to the generations to come, the bright colors, the texts, and the beautiful designs of this Memorial will silently and solemely speak in language not to be mistaken, of the rich blending of noble traits of character in this great and good man.

Knights of Pythias.—Cœur de Leon Lodge, No. 17, K. P., will hold a special meeting to-morrow (Thursday) evening, at 7½ o'clock. C. M. DURFEE, C. C.

An Election Incident.—At the polls in the Second ward yesterday, "Uncle Billy Young" was carrying on a spirited discussion with several gentlemen present, the subject being the merits of the respective candidates for Mayor, viewed from a temperance stand-point, in which "Uncle Billy" took strong temperance ground, and delivered quite a lengthy harangue on that side of the question, right in the midst of which, one of the judges of election slipped his hand into Uncle Billy's pocket and drew therefrom a whisky flask, and exhibited it to the crowd. This closed Uncle Billy's harangue and led to a change of the subject.

Police Record.—On yesterday John Thomas and Emanuel Rhodes were brought into Justice Albert's court by Officers Hewes and Pringle, charged with disturbance. They were fined four dollars each and costs.

Soon after this, Thomas got into another muss and was brought up again by Officer Mahannah, and was fined three dollars and costs, which he refused to pay, and was taken to the calaboose.

In the same court Thomas Lamasters was fined five dollars and costs for indecent exposure of person.

Catholic Prayer-Books—A large assortment; price from 25c to $2,50.
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4 d3t Post Office Bookstore.

House Wanted.—I want to rent a good, small, neat and comfortable dwelling. It must be in good repair and neat. Cash every month.
2d G. P. MILLER, Confectioner.

...A severe hail storm passed over Paris last evening about 6 o'clock, accompanied by a heavy wind.

Adjourned Meeting.—There will be an adjourned meeting of the Fire Department to-morrow evening, March 5th, when reports from the committee of the late firemen's ball will be received.
D. W. SAMUEL, Pres't.

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Feb 5 d till April 4-2ew.

At the boot and shoe store of V. Barber & Co. may be found a full stock of fine boots and shoes in the latest styles, and from the best manufactories in the country. Those in want of goods in their line will find it greatly to their advantage to examine the stock of this firm before purchasing. 25 d1w

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Mar2d3t* PARK & LEE.

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Choice Meats can be procured at the meat market of D. M. Samuel; also the best of groceries at the Rolling Mill Grocery Store. 23 dtf

For Rent.—A two story brick dwelling, on the corner of Wood and South Main streets. Possession given May 1st. Enquire of Charley Shaffer. 21-3Sat.

CITY ELECTION—OFFICIAL VOTE.

	1st Ward.	2d Ward.	3d Ward.	4th Ward.	5th Ward.	Total.
MAYOR.						
Franklin Priest	189	129	157	103	111	689
Martin Forstmyer	136	109	144	147	66	602
MARSHAL.						
John W. Haworth	249	180	219	171	106	925
Joseph Hewes	83	76	93	85	70	407
CITY ENGINEER.						
Sullivan Burgess	222	142	177	118	78	737
Geo V. Loring	112	109	122	135	94	572
TREASURER.						
M. K. Hatch	251	171	211	219	128	1010
I. B. Curtis	78	86	71	38	49	322
ALDERMEN.						
H W Waggoner	208					
W J Myers	122					
O F. McKim		152				
I N Coltrin		105				
I W Ehrman			184			
A T Hill			128			
M O Wykel				120		
J W Butman				138		
R N Mills					99	
A Shoemaker					80	

Theatrical.—Owing to the terribly bad walking, together with the fact that everybody was out looking for election returns, the audience at the opera house last evening was quite small. Notwithstanding the company went through with the play set for the evening, and Miss Price did herself justice by an excellent rendition of the three characters which she sustained in the piece. The other parts were well done, and those present were highly pleased.

To-night "The Pearl of Savoy, or, A Mother's Prayer," will be given, with Miss Price as "Marie." The play is a superb one, and will give full play to the rare talent of Miss Price. Let her be greeted by a full house.

Notice.—Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, not to purchase any commercial paper, on which the name of John Hamsher or John Hamsher & Co. may appear, special reference being had to notes in favor of Abdiel T. Risley, Thomas O. Smith and Dr. —— Parker, against all which paper a proper defence lies in our favor, and will be claimed against all holders thereof.
JOHN HAMSHER,
Feb 17, 1874-tf PERRY DRAKE.

Fruit Prospects.—The prospects for every variety of fruit were never better in Macon county than they are this year.—Buds are already showing themselves, and indicate a full blossom. Of course the contingencies of damage from frost and insects lie between the present promising prospects and the realization of the crop. These contingencies set aside, the yield of both apples and small fruits will be abundant.

For Rent.—R. N. Ham has a small house, with four rooms, to rent. Apply to owner. [Feb 23 dtf

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, March 3, 1874.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1 10
" White "	1.30
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	4.50
" red "	4.00
" superfine, "	3 75
" middlings,	2.00
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	70
RYE—℔ bushel	60
CORN—℔ bushel	40
" shelled, per bush	45
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton	12,00
OATS—℔ bushel	38
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2.50
CLOVER SEED— "	6,00@7,00
HUNGARIAN	1.50
BEANS—℔ bushel	2.75
BUTTER—℔ ℔	25@30
EGGS—per doz	15
LARD—℔ ℔	07
BACON—Sides	7½
HAMS—sugar-cured	12
SHOULDERS—per ℔	7
HOGS—Live, per hundred	4,75@5,00
CATTLE— " "	3,25@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—per bu., new	1,50
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	12½
APPLES— "	10
" Green ℔ bar	5.00@5,50
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	.01
" Salted cured	6@.6½
" Calf	8@9
" Dry salt	10
" Dry Flint	12
SHEEP PELTS—	10@60
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔	,50@,55
" Common, ℔ ℔	,25@,40
TALLOW—Cake	5
" Barrel	5½

To the Suffering.

The Rev. William H. Norton, while residing in Brazil as a Missionary, discovered in that land of medicines a remedy for Consumption, Scrofula, Sore Throat, Coughs Colds, Asthma, and Nervous Weakness.—This remedy has cured myself after all other medicines had failed.

Wishing to benefit the suffering, I will send the recipe for preparing and using this remedy to all who desire it FREE OF CHARGE.

Please send an envelope, with your name and address on it. Address,
Rev. WILLIAM H. NORTON,
676 Broadway, New York City.
March 13, 1873-1y

A CARD.

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JOSEPH T. INMAN,
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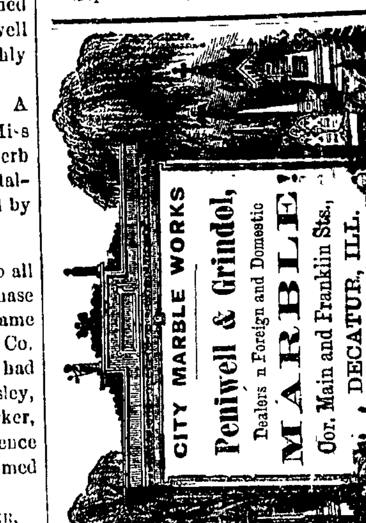
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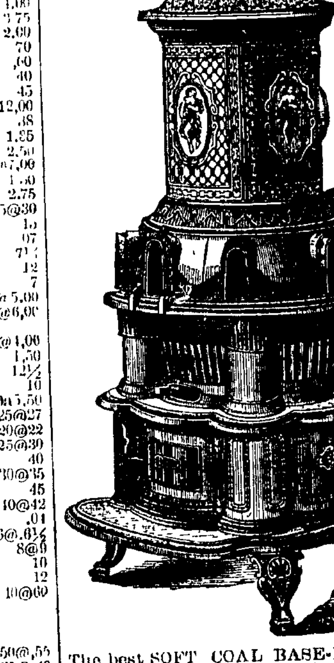
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REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To C. Chure or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lot to-wit: Lot 3, resurvey of lot 5, D. L. Allen's addition of out lots to Decatur, and that the time of redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.
feb 18-d3w GEO. SHAFFER.

To I. L. Nesbitt or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county, and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The east part of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 23, town 16 north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.
GEO. SHAFFER.
feb 18-d3w.

To M. Hu[...] or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tracts of land, to wit:
Part of lot 2, in the northwest quarter of section 19, town 17, range 4 east of the 3d. P. M.;
The east side of the south half of lot 2, in the southwest quarter of section 19, town 17 range 4 east of the 3d P. M.;
Part of lot 2 in the northwest quarter of section 19, town 17 range 4 east of the 3d P. M.;
Part of the north west quarter of the north east quarter of section 19, town 17, range 4 east of the 3d P. M.;
Part of lot 2 in the northwest quarter of section 19, town 17 range 4 east of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874. GEO. SHAFFER.
feb 18-d3w.

To David T[...] or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots, for state, county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, John E. Miller purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lot one in the south [west] quarter of the southeast quarter of sec[tion] 11, town 14 north range 2 east of the 3d P. M.; and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the [10]th day of June, A. D. 1874. H. F. HUGHES, Assignee.
feb 20-d3w

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" 3d " A. T. Hill, T. J. Abel
" 4th " W W Mason, J. L. Peak
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GEO. SHAFFER, Forsyth, Ill.
feb 27-d3w]

To —— White or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lots or lands, to-wit: Lot 5, resurvey of lot 5, D. A. Allen's addition of out lots to Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

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To W. H. Cannon or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lots or lands, to-wit: Lot 7 block 5, North addition to Decatur, and that the time of the redemtion thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

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To H. Davidson or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lots or lands, to-wit: East part of the west part of the north end lot 3, northeast quarter section 1, town 15, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

GEO. SHAFFER, Forsyth, Ill.
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To Morgan & Markey or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D, 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the southeast quarter, section 18, township 16 north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M.; that said lands were assessed in the name of Morgan & Markey for taxes of said year 1871, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

feb 27, 1874,—d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

To Unknown or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, Geo Shaffer purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The south half of lot 8 in the east half of the northeast quarter of section 23, town 17 north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

H. B. VANLEER, Assignee.
Feb 11, 1873-d3w

To P. H. Robinson, in whose name assessed, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: The west half of lot 2, in block 7, in the resurvey of lot 3, block 7, in Allen, McReynolds & Co's. addition to the city of Decatur, and that the time of redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

feb 12, d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

To A. Frank or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lot 2 of northeast of northeast quarter of section 19, township 17 north, range 4 east of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

Feb 5 1874-d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

To Thomas Lewis or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tracts of land, to-wit: Lots 8 and 9, in block 3, in the town of Niantic, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

J. P. FARIS.
feb 17-d3w]

To Benton & Morse or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: North half of the south half lot 1, in the west half northwest quarter of section 23, township 16 north, range 1 east of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June A. D. 1874.

JOHN N. BILLS.
Jan 30, 1874—d3w

To A. Cox or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lot 3 of the northwest of the southeast quarter of section 9, township 17 north, range 4 east of the 3d P. M., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

Jan 30, 1874—d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

To John Whitney's heirs or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: North half, northeast quarter, section 1, township 14, range 1 east of the 3d P. M.; and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

jan24-d3w] M. P. MURPHEY.

To Wm. Martin or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: West half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 24, township 16, north range 1 east of the 3d P. M.; and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

jan24-d3w, M. P. MURPHEY.

To L. Blickenstaff or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1872, for the taxes for the year 1871, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 6, block "C," in town of Oakley; and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

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JOHN COE,
SPENCER LEHEW
Oct.30, 1873-w6t*] Administrators.

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